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Dear Sir:

This is a request for a continuation application under 37 CFR § 1.53(d) (Continued Prosecution Application (CPA)) of prior patent application Serial No. 08/799,073, filed on February 11, 1997, and entitled STREAMING COMPUTER SYSTEM AND METHOD WITH MULTI-VERSION PROTOCOL COMPATIBILITY.

The above-identified prior patent application, in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, and which has a filing date on or after June 8, 1995, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application.

- ☒ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on May 28, 1999 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the prior patent application.
- ☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below in the "Claims as Filed" table.

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

Number of Claims Filed	In Excess of:	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
<b>Basic Filing Fee</b>				\$760.00
<b>Total Claims</b>				
30	20	10	x \$18.00 =	\$180.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>				
7	3	4	x \$78.00 =	\$312.00
<b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE</b>				\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>				<b>\$1252.00</b>

- ☒ A charge to the Deposit Account No. 09-0460 in the amount of \$1252.00 to cover the Filing Fee.
- ☒ Address all future communications to the **Attention of Victor G. Cooper at Gates & Cooper, Howard Hughes Center, 6701 Center Drive West, Suite 1050, Los Angeles, California 90045, Telephone: (310) 641-8797.**

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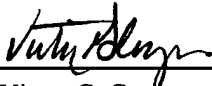
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